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PATENT APPLICATION

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Inventor(s): Villaret et al.

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Application No.: 09/896,576

Examiner: Graham, C.

Filing Date: 06/29/2001

Group Art Unit: 3628

Title: **SYSTEM AND ARRANGEMENT FOR PROCESSING PAYMENTS FOR PURCHASES THROUGH A PAYMENT SERVER**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner For Patents  
PO Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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- ☒ Response/Amendment  
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☐ Other

- ☐ Petition to extend time to respond  
☐ Supplemental Declaration

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(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS		MINUS		= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	<input type="checkbox"/> 1st Month \$120	<input type="checkbox"/> 2nd Month \$450	<input type="checkbox"/> 3rd Month \$1020	<input type="checkbox"/> 4th Month \$1590		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 17, 2006, reconsideration and allowance of the application are respectfully requested in view of the remarks below.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

The Remarks begin on page 8.